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James M. Rosenbaum

Chief Judge

Date of Birth: 1944
Education: Minnesota 1966 BA, 1969 JD
Began Service: July 18, 1985
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

Government: Attorney, AmeriCorps (1969-1970); United States Attorney, District of Minnesota, United States Department of Justice (1981-1985)

Judicial: Member, Judicial Conference of the United States (2006)

Legal Practice: Staff Attorney, Leadership Council for Metropolitan Open Communities (1970-1972); Associate, Katz, Taube, Lange & Frommelt (1973-1977); Rosenbaum & Rosenbaum (1977-1979); Partner, Gainsley, Squier & Kosh (1979-1981)

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Michael J. Davis

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1947
Education: Macalester 1969 BA;
Minnesota 1972 JD
Began Service: March 30, 1994
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

Academic: Trial Practice Instructor, William Mitchell College of Law (1977-1981); Adjunct Professor, Hubert H. Humphrey School of Public Affairs (1990)

Government: Attorney, Litigation Division, Office of the General Counsel, Department of Health, Education, and Welfare (1973); Criminal Defense Lawyer, Office of the Public Defender, County of Hennepin, Minnesota (1978-1983)

Judicial: Judge, Hennepin County Municipal Court, Fourth Judicial District (1983-1984); Judge, Hennepin County District Court, Fourth Judicial District (1984-1994)

Legal Practice: Criminal Defense Lawyer, Neighborhood Justice Center, Inc. (1974); Criminal Defense Lawyer, Legal Rights Center, Inc. (1975-1978)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; Eighth Circuit Jury Instruction Committee; Federal Bar Association; Federal Judges Association; International Academy of Trial Judges; Minnesota Association of Black Lawyers; Minnesota Lawyers International Human Rights Committee; National Bar Association; U.S. Association of Constitutional Law, Legal Rights Center, Board of Directors

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John R. Tunheim

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1953
Education: Concordia Col Moorhead MN 1975 BA;
Minnesota 1980 JD
Began Service: December 29, 1995
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

Academic: Lecturer, University of Minnesota Law School (1985-1995); Adjunct Professor of Constitutional Law, University of Minnesota Law School (1994)

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Hon. Earl Larson, United States District Court for the District of Minnesota (1980-1981)

Chambers of District Judge John R. Tunheim continued

Government: Staff Assistant, U.S. Senator Hubert H. Humphrey (D-MN), United States Senate (1975-1978); Assistant Attorney General, State of Minnesota (1984-1985); Solicitor General, Office of the Attorney General, State of Minnesota (1985-1986); Chief Deputy Attorney General, State of Minnesota (1986-1995); Chair, United States Assassination Records Review Board (1994-1998)

Legal Practice: Associate, Oppenheimer, Wolff, Foster, Shepard & Donnelly (1981-1984)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; American Judicature Society; District Nineteen Bar Association; Douglas K. Amdahl Inn of Court; Federal Bar Association; Federal Judges Association; Minnesota State Bar Association; United States Judicial Conference Committee on Court Administration and Case Management

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Ann D. Montgomery

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1949
Education: Kansas 1971 BS; Minnesota 1974 JD
Began Service: August 6, 1996
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

Academic: Adjunct Professor, University of Minnesota Law School (1988-1994)

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable Gerard D. Reilly, District of Columbia Court of Appeals (1974-1976)

Government: Assistant United States Attorney, District of Minnesota, Office of the United States Attorney, United States Department of Justice (1976-1983)

Judicial: Judge, Hennepin County Municipal Court (1983-1985); Judge, Hennepin County District Court (1985-1994); Magistrate Judge, United States District Court for the District of Minnesota (1994-1996)

Current Memberships: American Judicature Society; Eighth Circuit District Judges' Association; Federal Bar Association; Hennepin County Bar Association; Minnesota Judges Association; Minnesota State Bar Association; Minnesota Women Lawyers; National Association of Women Judges

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Donovan W. Frank

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1951
Education: Luther Col 1973 BA; Hamline 1977 JD
Began Service: November 2, 1998
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

Government: Assistant County Attorney, County of St. Louis, Minnesota (1977-1985)

Judicial: Judge, Minnesota District Court, Sixth Judicial District (1985-1998); Assistant Chief Judge, Minnesota District Court, Sixth Judicial District (1989-1991); Chief Judge, Minnesota District Court, Sixth Judicial District (1991-1996)

Current Memberships: Federal Bar Association, Minnesota Chapter, Board of Directors; Federal Judges Association; Lawyers Concerned for Lawyers, Board of Directors; Minnesota State Bar Association; Range Bar Association, President; Richard T. Oakes American Inns of Court

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Joan N. Ericksen

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1954
Education: St Olaf 1977 BA; Minnesota 1981 JD
Began Service: June 14, 2002
Appointed By: President George W. Bush

Government: Assistant United States Attorney, District of Minnesota, Office of the United States Attorney, United States Department of Justice (1983-1993)

Judicial: Judge, Fourth Judicial District Court, Hennepin County, MN (1995-1998); Associate Justice, Minnesota Supreme Court (1998-2002)

Legal Practice: Associate, Lefevre, Lefler, Kennedy, O'Brien & Drawz (1981-1983); Partner, Leonard, Street & Deinard (1993-1995)

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